

MINUTES

MONTANA SENATE 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND CLAIMS

Call to Order: Chair Dave Lewis, on January 20, 2011 at 5:00 P.M., in Room 317
Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Sen. Dave Lewis, Chair (R)
Sen. Taylor Brown (R)
Sen. Edward Buttrey (R)
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)
Sen. Steven Gallus (D)
Sen. Bob Hawks (D)
Sen. Llew Jones (R)
Sen. Jim Keane (D)
Sen. Alan Olson (R)
Sen. Jason Priest (R)
Sen. Jon Sonju (R)
Sen. Edward Walker (R)
Sen. Carol Williams (D)
Sen. Ryan Zinke (R)

Members Excused:

Sen. Rick Ripley, Vice Chair (R)
Sen. Debby Barrett (R)
Sen. John Brenden (R)
Sen. Bradley Hamlett (D)
Sen. David E. Wanzenried (D)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Prudence Gildroy, Committee Secretary
Taryn Purdy, Legislative Branch

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Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 1, 1/17/2011
Executive Action: HB 1

00:00:02 Chairman Lewis
00:01:20 Acting Chair Jones

HEARING ON HB 1

Opening by Sponsor:

00:01:24 Sen. Dave Lewis, (R) SD 42, opened the hearing on HB 1, an act appropriating money for the operation of the current and subsequent legislature.
00:02:20 Susan Fox, Legislative Services Division (LSD)

Proponents:

None

Opponents:

None

Informational Witnesses:

None

Questions from the Committee:

00:07:00 Sen. Zinke
00:07:35 Sen. Lewis
00:08:23 Sen. Zinke
00:08:30 Acting Chair Jones
00:08:40 Sen. Williams

Closing by Sponsor:

00:08:55 Sen. Lewis
00:09:35 Acting Chair Jones

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON HB 1

00:09:56 **Motion:** Sen. Lewis moved that **HB 1 BE CONCURRED IN.**
00:10:06 **Motion:** Sen. C. Williams moved that **HB 1 BE AMENDED.**
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00:10:15 Acting Chair Jones

Discussion:

00:10:24 Sen. Williams
00:11:41 Acting Chair Jones
00:11:47 Ms. Fox, LSD
00:16:33 Sen. Gallus
00:17:05 Ms. Fox, LSD
00:17:36 Sen. Gallus
00:17:47 Ms. Fox, LSD
00:18:13 Acting Chair Jones
00:18:19 Sen. Lewis
00:18:29 Ms. Fox, LSD
00:18:46 Acting Chair Jones

00:18:56 **Vote:** Motion to amend HB 1 carried unanimously by voice vote of those present and voting..

00:19:21 **Motion/Vote:** Sen. Lewis moved that **HB 1 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED**. Motion carried unanimously by roll call vote. Sen. Barrett, Sen. Brenden, Sen. Hamlett, Sen. Ripley and Sen. Wanzenried voted by proxy. Sen. Lewis will carry the bill.

00:21:03 Chairman Lewis

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 5:27 p.m.

Prudence Gildroy, Secretary

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